## PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

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## NOTICE OF FILING AND HEARING

## **DOCKET NO. 2010-77-C**

Grasshopper Group, LLC, ("Grasshopper" or "Applicant") has filed an Application with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission"), for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide resold interexchange telecommunications services pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. §58-9-280(B) as amended. In addition, pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. §58-9-585, the Applicant request that its long distance service offerings be regulated in accordance with procedures established for alternative regulation pursuant to Order No. 1995-1734 and 1996-55 in Docket No. 1995-661-C, and as modified by Order No. 2001-997 in Docket No. 2000-407-C. Grasshopper requests to offer business customers resold switch-based intrastate, interstate and international long distance services, including switched inbound toll-free (8XX), dedicated inbound toll-free (8XX), inbound long distance, and call conferencing. In addition, Grasshopper requests to offer resold interexchange services to customers throughout the geographic territory of South Carolina. Grasshopper anticipates that its customers will be primarily, though not exclusively, business customers.

A copy of the Company's entire Application can be found on the Commission's website at <a href="www.psc.sc.gov">www.psc.sc.gov</a> under Docket No. 2010-77-C. A copy of the Application is also available from John J. Pringle, Jr., Esquire, Ellis, Lawhorne & Sims, P.A., P.O. Box 2285, Columbia, SC 29202.

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** a hearing on the above matter has been scheduled to begin at **10:00 a.m. on Monday, June 28, 2010,** before a Hearing Examiner, in the Commission's Law Library at 101 Executive Center Drive, Saluda Building, Columbia, South Carolina 29210.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter, as a party of record with the right of cross-examination, should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure on or before **April 1, 2010,** and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please include an email address for receipt of future Commission correspondence in the Petition to Intervene. *Please refer to Docket No. 2010-77-C.* 

Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing should notify the Docketing Department, in writing, at the address below, the Office of Regulatory Staff at 1401 Main Street, Suite 900, Columbia, South Carolina 29201, and John J. Pringle, Jr., Esquire, at the above address, on or before **April 1, 2010**, and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. *Please refer to Docket No. 2010-77-C*.

Any person who wishes to be notified of any change in the hearing, but does not wish to present testimony or be a party of record, may do so by notifying the Docketing Department, in writing, at the address below on or before **April 1, 2010**. *Please refer to Docket No. 2010-77-C*.

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:** Any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding <u>MUST</u> present such comments, in person, to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's Procedures should contact the Commission at (803) 896-5100.

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